

PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2879**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kenji HAYASHI

Group Art Unit: 2879

Application No.: 10/644,573

Examiner: K. QUARTERMAN

Filed: August 20, 2003

Docket No.: 116887

For: ELECTROLUMINESCENT DEVICE, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE
SAME, AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the November 30, 2006 Office Action, reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Claims 1-21 are pending in this application. Claims 13-21 are provisionally withdrawn in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 8, 2005. Claims 13-21 are directed to a non-elected group of claims. Applicant respectfully requests rejoinder and allowance of claims 13-21 upon the allowance of claims 1-12 in accordance with MPEP §821.04.

Applicant appreciates the courtesies shown to Applicants' representatives by Examiner Quarterman during the February 22, 2007 telephone interview. Applicants' separate record of the substance of the interview is incorporated into the following remarks.